

Program Resources

Ready or Not

The following links and resources can be used to spur projects or discussions that relate to the CCSS, specifically Grades 1-5 ELA –Literacy.SL 1.1, 1.2, 1.4, 1.5 (Comprehension and Collaboration & Presentation of Knowledge and Ideas).

Webquests

K-2- Animals in Winter <http://questgarden.com/97/25/9/100313162814/index.htm>

3-5 Preparing for Winter: A Hibernation Webquest
<http://questgarden.com/65/09/1/080504154048/index.htm>

Links:

Top Ten Coolest Hibernating Animals: <http://www.earthrangers.com/wildwire/top-10/top-ten-hibernating-animals/>

Word Search:

http://www.educationworld.com/a_lesson/TM/groundhogdaylpwordsearchpuzzle-download.pdf

Are bears hibernators?

Yes

<http://www.bear.org/website/bear-pages/black-bear/hibernation.html>

<http://www.ncwildlife.org/Learning/Species/Mammals/BlackBear/BlackBearHibernation.aspx>

<http://beartrust.org/do-bears-hibernate>

<http://www.pbs.org/wgbh/nova/nature/bear-essentials-of-hibernation.html>

<http://www.kidzone.ws/lw/bears/facts02.htm>

<http://www.nps.gov/yell/naturescience/denning.htm>

Video clip <http://animal.discovery.com/tv-shows/animal-planet-presents/videos/natural-world-bear-hibernation.htm>

No

<http://www.dec.ny.gov/pubs/43739.html>

<http://beartrust.org/do-bears-hibernate>

<http://www.enature.com/articles/detail.asp?storyID=409>

<http://www.aitc.sk.ca/saskschools/winter/win2.html>

Video clip <http://blip.tv/untamed-science/hibernation-a-wintery-slumber-6554164>

Journal Ideas:

- Describe a place that would meet the 3 needs of an animal adapting to winter life (shelter, food, water)
- Write or tell a story from the point of view of an animal surviving the winter. Include what it is doing for food, shelter and water.
- How does a hibernator make it through the winter in terms of food water and shelter?

Science Project Ideas:

<http://www.hometrainingtools.com/hibernation-science-projects/a/1557/>